"By-pass" roads

* 1247 *Q.*—SRI N. R. THIAGARAJAN : கனம் பொது மரா மத்து அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விகளுக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) பெரிய நகரங்களுக்கு வெளியே "பைபாஸ்" ரோடுகள் எங்கெங்கு போடப்பட்டன ?

(இ) இனி எங்கெங்கு போடத் திட்டமிருக்கிறது ?

(உ) திண்டுக்கல், பெரியகுளம், உசிலம்பட்டி, தேனி, ஆண்டிப்பட்டி, உத்தமபாளையம் முதலிய நகரங்களுக்கு இந்தத் திட்டம் விஸ்தரிக்கப்படுமா ?

THE HON. SRI P. KAKKAN : (அ) & (இ) The information is laid on the table of the House.

(உ) The attention of the Member is invited to answer to question No. 225 given on 28th January 1961.

Industries in the Chettinad area

* 1248 *Q.*—SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(*a*) the various industries either owned by the Government or by private individuals, that are established in Chettinad area, Ramanathapuram district;

(*b*) whether there are any industrial institutions or schools in this area and if so, what they are;

(*c*) whether there is any proposal to start an industrial estate; and

(*d*) whether there are enough facilities like water and power to start an industrial estate in Chettinad?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (*a*) to (*d*) The answer [b] is placed on the table of the House.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Sir, is the Hon. Minister aware of the fact that due to some political measures taken in the Far East countries the Chettiyars of Chettinad who have been doing their business there have been forced to come back to the Motherland? Is the Hon. Minister also aware of the fact that after coming back to the Motherland, having lost all their fortunes there, they are now driven to the necessity of dismantling their huge mansions in Chettinad and selling whatever rafters, windows, doors that were available from their mansions with their furniture? If so, may I know what steps the Government are taking to better their economic position?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : Apart from the point raised by the hon. Member, the Government are interested in promoting industries. If people in that area come forward to take advantage of the facilities offered by the Government, industries can be started in that area.

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[a] Printed as Appendix III on pages 129-132 infra.

[b] Printed as Appendix IV on pages 132-133 infra.